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AMENDMENT

Responsive to the Official Action dated October 30, 2000, please amend the
above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please substitute the following amended claims 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 15, 16
and for original claims 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 15, 16. A copy of original claims 1, 2,
3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 15, 16 showing revisions is attached.